

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS**

ARIEL GERNES,	)	
	)	
Plaintiff,	)	Civil No. 1:10-cv-10060-NMG
	)	
vs.	)	
	)	
HEALTH AND WELFARE PLAN OF	)	
METROPOLITAN CABINETS and	)	
BLUE CROSS BLUE SHIELD OF	)	
MASSACHUSETTS,	)	
	)	
Defendants.	)	
	)	

**JOINT ASSENT TO REASSIGNMENT**

The parties to this matter hereby jointly assent to the reassignment of this case to United States Magistrate Judge Robert B. Collings, pursuant to 28 U.S.C § 636(c) and in accordance with the Order of Reference entered April 28, 2011.

Respectfully Submitted,

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By Her Attorneys,

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